

NEWS RELEASE

NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE



United States Department of Agriculture • Northern Plains Region 3705 Miller Parkway, Ste. A, Manhattan, KS 66503 • (800) 582-6443

www.nass.usda.gov

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact: Doug Bounds (800) 582-6443 doug.bounds@nass.usda.gov

KANSAS CROP PROGRESS AND CONDITION

MANHATTAN, Kan. November 5, 2018 - For the week ending November 4, 2018, there were 5.0 days suitable for fieldwork, according to the USDA's National Agricultural Statistics Service. Topsoil moisture supplies rated 0 percent very short, 3 short, 78 adequate, and 19 surplus. Subsoil moisture supplies rated 1 percent very short, 6 short, 84 adequate, and 9 surplus.

Field Crops Report: Winter wheat condition rated 3 percent very poor, 13 poor, 38 fair, 38 good, and 8 excellent. Winter wheat planted was 83 percent, behind 92 last year and 95 for the five-year average. Emerged was 69 percent, near 71 last year, and behind 81 average.

Corn harvested was 85 percent, near 87 last year, and behind 90 average.

Soybean condition rated 4 percent very poor, 12 poor, 34 fair, 41 good, and 9 excellent. Soybeans harvested was 63 percent, well behind 83 last year, and behind 82 average.

Sorghum condition rated 2 percent very poor, 5 poor, 22 fair, 55 good, and 16 excellent. Sorghum harvested was 49 percent, behind 60 last year, and well behind 69 average.

Cotton condition rated 1 percent very poor, 6 poor, 35 fair, 48 good, and 10 excellent. Cotton bolls opening was 95 percent, near 96 last year and 93 average. Harvested was 8 percent, behind 16 last year and 19 average.

Sunflowers harvested was 51 percent, near 53 last year, and behind 57 average.

Pasture and Range Report: Pasture and range conditions rated 4 percent very poor, 11 poor, 35 fair, 44 good, and 6 excellent.

Data for this news release were provided at the county level by USDA Farm Service Agency, KSU Extension Service, and other reporters across the State.

Access the National Crop Progress and Condition publication at: http://usda.mannlib.cornell.edu/usda/nass/CropProg/2010s/2018/CropProg-11-05-2018.pdf

Crop Progress by District For the Week Ending November 04, 2018

	Percent									
	NW	WC	SW	NC	C	SC	NE	EC	SE	STATE
Winter Wheat Planted	94	97	97	78	82	70	86	71	50	83
Winter Wheat Emerged	89	92	86	56	67	52	50	48	34	69
Corn Harvested	67	75	85	72	96	97	95	91	100	85

Note: District-level estimates for sorghum, days suitable for fieldwork, and topsoil and subsoil moisture supplies will not be published in 2018 due to lack of external funding.

###

NASS is the federal statistical agency responsible for producing official data about U.S. agriculture and is committed to providing timely, accurate and useful statistics in service to U.S. agriculture.

We invite you to provide occasional feedback on our products and services. Sign up at http://bit.ly/NASS_Subscriptions and look for the "NASS Data User Community."

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer. To file a complaint of discrimination, write to USDA, Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Stop 9410, Washington, DC 20250-9410, or call toll-free at (866) 632-9992 (English) or (800) 877-8339 (TDD)or (866) 377-8642 (English Federal-relay) or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish Federal-relay).